

THE MOUNTAIN ADVOCATE.

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CITIZENS OF BARBOURVILLE

Can You Afford to Allow an Opportunity of This Kind to Pass?

Prompt, Responsive Action Will Secure Factory Here

There is a gentleman in this city who represents a large Spoke and Handle Factory at present located somewhere in West Virginia that is desirous of changing their location in order to be closer to the necessary timber for their purpose and we have been reliably informed that the company has both Barbourville and Middlesboro in view and will likely select the location that offers the best inducements to them.

Now it is high time for us to get busy and ascertain what this factory really wants and if it is in our power, give them such inducements as will cause them to look no further but settle here at once.

Middlesboro can not offer the advantages that we have here. Middlesboro is no nearer to the coal or timber than is Barbourville. On all sides surrounding our city is large quantities of second growth hickory and oak, just the timber that a factory of this kind is seeking. Our farmers will haul this timber in on wagons and supply the plant with an endless amount of material that would prove a great advantage both to the plant and to the farmers. Then Barbourville is as near to the Harlan railroad as Middlesboro, and much nearer to the Cumberland railroad both of which would supply large quantities of lumber for a factory of this kind. Barbourville has the natural gas that Middlesboro could not offer because it has not got it. Barbourville has an inexhaustible water supply from the Cumberland river, while Middlesboro is dependent upon an artificial lake on the opposite side of the mountain and all of its water must be pumped over a mountain to supply the consumers.

With these facts existing as they do it seems that it would be an easy matter to convince the management of this industry that this city and not Middlesboro is the place for them to locate.

Let our business men come together and formulate some course of procedure and then go after this factory enterprise and never let it up until it is secured. It means much to our city and every merchant and every property owner should be interested. What do you say, will you act?

A Sure Cure

A haggard looking woman, speaking with a strong Irish brogue, walked into a West Side drug store in New York the other day and asked for a bottle of Dr. Quack's Consumption Cure. While the clerk was wrapping the package, she conversed volubly of Mike, her husband, who was sick with consumption. She said one of her neighbors, Mrs. Casey, had told her that the bottle of medicine she held in her hand would surely restore Mike to health. So she had saved 50 cents from the scant earnings she had made over the washtub in order that her husband might have a chance. As she turned

to go away she was attracted by a sign upon which was this legend in big red letters, "Buy Red Cross Christmas Seals and help Cure Consumption. A penny for a Seal."

From the few cents in the palm of her hand the woman drew out a nickel and holding it to the clerk, said, "O'll take five of them. Sure, with this bottle of medicine, and thim things stuck on Mike, he'll be well in a wake."

Temple Inspection

Mountain Lodge of Masons invites the citizens of Barbourville and vicinity to attend the inspection of their new temple over the Lawson building today (Friday) from 12 o'clock, noon, to 3 o'clock p. m. The ladies are especially invited to witness this inspection.

J. H. Blackburn, W. M.
Mountain Lodge No. 187, F. & A. M.

EVERYBODY INVITED

To the Exhibition and Inspection Day at the Graded School Building

On Friday afternoon, December 23, at one o'clock, we desire the patrons of the Public School to come to the Public School Building to inspect the work of the present school year.

We invite also any citizen, or any visitor in our city, to come and see us on that day.

This is the first of what we intend to make a permanent institution in our Public School. Hereafter, so long as the school is conducted by the present management, we shall appoint two days each year as "Inspection and Exhibition" days. On

those days it is our purpose to entertain parents and friends with various exercises and evidences of work which has been done in the school.

We need very much a new building and a large room where all the students could assemble together for various instructional purposes which cannot be carried out now, and we hope to have such accommodations before very long; but in the meantime we are doing some good work and we wish the community to come and see and encourage the children in their efforts.

We promise that everyone who comes will be glad of it.

Don't let anything keep you away. Come and be school boys and school girls again. It will do you good. It's the best medicine in the world. It will not only make you well, but it will make you have the happiest Christmas you have ever experienced.

(Signed) "Students"
"Faculty"
Barbourville Graded and High School.

JIM WHITE

The Negro Rapis, Granted Respite till Jan. 16

Last Saturday afternoon the Sheriff and County Attorney of Bell county each received a message from Gov. Willson, stating that a respite until Jan. 16, 1911 had been granted to Jim White, who was under sentence to be hanged at Pineville last Monday for rape committed on little Mossy Woodward an eight year old white girl in Middlesboro about a year ago.

It is claimed by the attorneys representing White that new evidence has been discovered and their appeal to the Governor caused the delay.

White admitted his guilt on the witness stand and we fail to

see in what way new evidence could benefit him.

This will amount only to a short delay however as it is almost certain that the Governor will never commute the sentence to life imprisonment.

White will perhaps be the last criminal to pay the penalty with his life by hanging as the electric chair has now gone into effect.

LARGE STONE BREAKS LOOSE

Causes Consternation in Little Town of Cumberland Gap

A large rock said to have weighed fifty tons broke loose from a crevice just under the pinnacle in the Cumberland Mountains, overhanging the small town of Cumberland Gap, Saturday night and rolled about 1,500 feet, cutting a swath in the timber in its path twenty feet wide and tearing a gap as wide as the military pike that leads across Cumberland Gap, missing a dwelling on the hillside about fifty yards. The rock was oblong or it would have rolled through the center of Cumberland Gap.

A Kentucky Boy for Page

State Senator Nat C. Cureton, of Louisville, is as happy as he can be. The Senator wanted to be Postmaster at Louisville, but the appointment went to Robert E. Woods. Senator Cureton did not pout, however, and said that he was a better Republican than ever, and went ahead about his business. A day or so ago Senator Cureton received a telegram from Senator Bradley announcing that Nat C. Cureton, Jr., had just been appointed to a pageship in the United States Senate. The Senator hurried home, packed the boy's grip and sent him off to Washington, telling him to be a good boy, study hard and that some day he might be going to Washington as a United States Senator.

At Union College To-Night

The Primary Department of Union College, under the direction of Miss Roberta Allen Sandusky, will give a Christmas entertainment to-night (Friday) at 7 o'clock. Everybody come—no admission.

SHERIFF'S SALE

Grant Hommons, Plaintiff,
vs.
M. J. Jackson, Defendant.

By virtue of an execution placed in my hands by the Knox Circuit Court, I will on December 26, 1910, that being County court day between the hour of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. sell at public outcry to the highest bidder on a credit of three months the following described tract of land, lying on the Road Fork of Stinking Creek and bounded on the north by the lands of Houston Broughton, east by the lands of John Jackson, south by the lands of Buck Broughton, west by the lands of Obie Mills and known as the Thos. Sealf farm and containing about 40 acres. Said execution is to raise the sum of \$500, together with interest at 6 per cent from the 7th day of June, 1910, and the cost in this action.

Purchaser will be required to execute good and sufficient bond with approved security for the purchase money, and a lien will also be retained upon said land until purchase money is paid in full.

Given under my hand as Sheriff of Knox county, this 7th day of December, 1910.

S. H. Jones, S. K. C.

GREAT SLAUGHTER

OF PRICES

FOR STRICTLY CASH SALES DURING REMAINDER OF THE YEAR.

Here Are Prices We Are Now Making To The Trade.

Dry Goods, Notions and Furnishings

Calicoes at 5c per yd
Ginghams, apron check 5c per yd
Ginghams, (dress) worth 12½c, now at 8½c
Dress gingham, worth 25c, now at 20c
Percales, worth 10c, now at 7½c
Draperies, worth 12½c, at 9c
Crepes, worth 20c, now at 15c
Flannellettes, worth 10c, at 8½c
Sateens, worth 10c, at 8½c
Sateens, worth 15c, at 11½c
Sateens, worth 20c, at 15c
Sateens, worth 25c, at 20c
Outings, worth 7½c, at 5c
Outings, worth 10c, at 8½c
Hickory shirting, worth 12½c, - - - 9c
Cotton plaids, regular 7½c at 5c
Cotton plaids, regular 10c at 8½c
A lot of dress linings, assorted colors, worth - - - 12½c at 8½c
10c Canton flannel, at - 8½c
50c woolen goods, Mohairs, at 39c
60c Serge, - - - at 48c
\$1 Serge - - - at 75c

SWEATERS

Children's 35c sweaters at 23c
Ladies' \$1.25 sweaters at 88c
Men's \$1.25 sweaters at 88c to 98c
Ladies' woolen Underskirt patterns, 75c to \$1.50 grade, - - - at 48c to \$1.25
Lace and Swiss curtains 48c & up
Pearl buttons 1c per card and up
Spool cotton 1c per spool and up
Table linen, small piece regular 48c goods - - - at 24c
Table linen, regular 75c goods - - - at 48c
Poplins, regular 25c goods at 19c
One lot of silks, regular 50c to \$1.50 goods, now at - - - 43c to \$1.25
Mufflers, regular 35c goods now at - - - 23c
Sansilk, 6 spools for - - - 20c
Woolen braids, regular 15c goods, now at - - - 10c
Woolen braids, regular 5c 10c goods, now at - - - 4c to 7½c

Safety pins - - - 2c and up
Hocks and eyes at - - - 4c
Pins, per paper - - - 1c and up
Men's canvas gloves, 3 pr for - - - 25c
Boys' and Men's undressed kid gloves, regular 75c grade, at - - - 48c
Boys' Youths and Men's suspender, at - - - 5c and up
Dai ish cloth, at - - - 14c
Bed ticking, regular 20c grade, at - - - 17½c
Bed ticking, regular 12½ goods, at - - - 10c
Bed ticking, double width worth 40c, now at - - - 33c
Bleach cotton, worth 7½c now at - - - 6c
Bleach cotton, worth 12½c now at - - - 9c
Bleach cotton worth 15c now at - - - 12½c
Lansdale cambric, worth 15c, now at - - - 12½c
Lansdale bleach, worth 12½c, now at - - - 10c
Brown muslin, worth 8½c to 10c, now at - - - 6½c to 8½c
Solettes, worth 25c, at - - - 20c
Quilt lining, worth 5c, at - - - 3c
Bleach sheeting, worth 35c now at - - - 28c
Sheeting, brown, worth 30c now at - - - 26c
Linsens, pure, worth 40c now at - - - 25c
Linsens, pure, worth 50c now at - - - 30c
Linsens, (dress) worth 65c now at - - - 48c
Linen, (dress) worth 35c now at - - - 25c
India linsens - - - 9c and up
White dimity, worth 12½c to 30c, now at - - - 9c to 25c
White lawn, worth 7½c to 13½c, now at - - - 6c to 10c
One job lot of laces and trimmings at sacrifice prices.
Long cloth, worth 15c, now at - - - 12½c
One lot of counterpanes, worth \$1.50 to \$2.50, now at - - - \$1.19 to \$1.98
Comforts, worth \$1.25 to \$2.00, now at - - - 98c to \$1.50
Men's work shirts, worth 35c to 50c, now at 23c to 39c

One lot of ladies' waists and skirts at sacrifice prices.
One lot of children's, youths and men's clothing at greatly reduced prices.
Ladies' vests and pants, worth 39c, now at - - - 21c
Ladies' vests and pants, worth 50c, now at - - - 39c
Ladies' hose, worth 10c and 15c, new at - - - 8c to 13c
Ladies' hose, worth 25c, at 21c
Ladies' handkerchiefs, worth 5c to 10c, now at 4c to 8c
Various other articles of dry goods and notions not mentioned will be sold at the same ratio of prices as mentioned above.

Ladies' Shoes

Vici Kid Button, worth \$2 now at - - - \$1.50
Belle of the West, worth 2.00, now at - - - 1.60
Victor Kid, worth 1.50, at 1.15
True Worth, worth 2.00, at 1.50
Cotton Shoe, latest style, worth 2.50, - - - at 1.98
Cotton Shoe, latest style, worth 3.00, - - - at 2.50
Cotton Shoe, latest style, worth 2.50, - - - at 1.98
Old Ladies' Comfort Shoe, worth 1.50, - - - 1.25
Boy's Box Calf, worth 1.50, - - - at 1.00
Boy's Satin Calf worth 1.50, - - - at 1.00
Boy's gun metal, worth 2.00, - - - 1.75
Men's Comfort Blucher, worth 2.50, - - - at 2.00
Men's Box Calf, worth 2.50, - - - at 2.00
Men's Hartford, worth 2.50, - - - at 1.98

Clothing

Men's and Boy's fancy shirts, worth 60c, - - - at 44c
Boy's fancy shirts, worth 35c and 50c - - - at 23c and 39c
Men's dress shirts, worth 1.00, - - - at 89c
Men's Underwear, worth 35c, - - - at 23c
Men's Underwear, worth 50c, - - - at 39c

Men's hose, worth 10c to 25c, cut to - - - 8c to 21c.
HATS
Men's hats, worth 50c, now at - - - 39c
Men's hats, worth 1.50 now at - - - 1.19
Men's hats, worth 2.00 now at - - - 1.50
MATTINGS.
Mattings, fancy, regular 35c cut to - - - 30c
Drugets or Rugs, worth \$10 cut to - - - \$9.00

Groceries & Provisions

Meal, per sack, - - - 35c
Flour, - - - 60 to 70c
Granulated Sugar, 19 lbs., \$1.00
Brown Sugar, - 20 lbs., 1.00
Coffee, per lb., - - - 17c
Dry Salt Mead, 12½ to 15c
Lard - - - 11½ to 15c
Blue Ribbon Oat Meal, 2 cans for - - - 25c
Quaker Oats - - - 10c
Toy Oats, 3 pkgs., - - - 25c
Corn Starch, 3 pkgs., - - - 25c
Strawberry, Peach and Black Berry Jam in jars - - - 10c
Olives - - - 10 to 25c
Sweet and Sour Pickles, per bottle - - - 10c
Horse Radish, per bottle, 10c
Catsup - - - 10 to 15c
Table Peaches, 3 lb. cans, 15 to 18c.
Regular 25c Apricots for 17c.
Apple Butter, per can - 10c.
Light Weight Oysters, per 1 lb. can - - - 5c.
Heavy Weight Oysters, two 1 lb. cans - - - 15c.
3 Regular 10c cans Sauer Kraut, for - - - 25c.
2 cans Salmon - - - 25c.
3 lb. can Tomatoes - - - 25c.
3 cans Polk's Best Corn - 25c.
3 boxes Chipped Beef - 25c.
6 cakes Big Deal Soap - 25c.
7 cakes Lenox Soap - 25c.
10 cakes Polo Soap - 25c.
2 boxes Postum - - - 25c.
Two ¼ lb pkgs. Tea - 25c.
10 lb. can Corn Syrup - 35c.
Wire Hair Pins, per box, 3c.

There are various other goods not mentioned here that will be sold at less than cost. I mean this for a regular Clearance Sale. Persons who miss this sale will miss the greatest sale ever offered in Barbourville. There will be a general slaughter of prices, as I need the money.

JARVIS' MAMMOTH STORE

BARBOURVILLE,
KENTUCKY.